## **Amendments to the Claims**

Claims 1-10 (Canceled)

Claim 11 **(New)** A method for the treatment of an allergic condition associated with a cutaneous reaction induced by histamine which comprises administering to a patient in need of such treatment an effective amount of the levorotatory dihydrochloride of 2-[2-[4-[(4-chlorophenyl)phenylmethyl]-1-piperazinyl]ethoxy] acetic acid.